

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:) Confirmation No.: 7432
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Giridhari L. Agrawal) Examiner: Justin M. Krause
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for: HIGH LOAD CAPACITY FOIL)
THRUST BEARINGS) Group Art Unit: 3682
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sirs:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated May 30, 2007. A declaration of Dr. Giridhari L Agrawal under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 is also submitted with this Response.

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